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MEETING OF CLATSOP FRUIT GROWERS

SOME OF THE BEST APPLES IN NORTHWEST ARE GROWN IN CLATSOP COUNTY—INSPECTOR C. S. DOW PRESENT.

The fruit growers of Clatsop county met yesterday at the Chamber of Commerce rooms and interchanged ideas with each other and the fruit inspector, C. S. Dow.

Those present convinced themselves that some of the best apples in the northwest are grown in this vicinity. One grower who has owned and attended orchards here and in the Willamette Valley, made the assertion that apples could be grown about Astoria cheaper than at any other place in Oregon.

Home experience and observations of fruit growing in other portions of the State were discussed.

It appeared that San Jose scale and codlin moth cause no trouble in this district.

It was recommended that lime-sulphur spray be used through the summer to destroy fungus growths, including moss. Bordeaux mixture could be used in the winter while the trees are leafless, but it was dangerous to use after the leaves and fruit are on the trees, as it sometimes burned them. Whitewashing the trunks and large limbs was considered good.

Pruning should begin early in the life of the tree by clipping back the branches so that there would not be large limbs to remove later, which injures the vitality and mars the beauty of the tree.

Those present were urged to thin the fruit so that one apple shall not touch another.

Drain the ground and fertilize the soil. A vigorous tree will also greatly protect itself from the attack of parasites. Some varieties of apples were said to be less subject to fungus growths than others.

Mr. Dow stated that he expected to make an exhibit at Salem during the State Fair and would take the best that the county shall be able to afford.

The next meeting will be on the

first Saturday in April and all growers as well as others interested in the apple industry are requested to be present.

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NOTICE.

Astoria, Or., March 20, 1908.
 At a meeting, held by the milkmen, the following prices were established to take effect on April 1st:

Cream.	
1 pint	\$2.25
1 quart	4.50
1 quart	8.00
Milk.	
1 pint	\$1.25
1 quart	2.00
3 pints	3.00
2 quarts	3.75
5 pints	4.50
3 quarts	5.25
4 quarts	6.50
5 quarts	8.00
6 quarts	9.00
Wholesale, per can	.50
Signed by order of committee.	

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ALLWINS ARE ALL WINNERS.

The Zapf Hardware & Furniture Company, of this city, has just put on the market the best and nicest baby go-cart for the money ever heard of in Astoria. It is the Allwin, and is to be had at the modest figure of \$5.25. It is one of the easiest riders in carriages, and the baby that is indulged with one dimples all over every time it goes out. It runs smooth as silk and folds up till it is almost unrecognizable. Call and examine one before putting money into something not nearly so satisfactory. The Allwins are all winners, sure enough!

PERSONAL MENTION

C. H. Holmes went to Portland last evening on a business trip for several days.

ANIMALS FOR NOAH'S ARK

One of the quaintest industries of Germany is the manufacture of wood en toys which has been carried on for centuries by the famous toymakers of Nuremberg, and its environs at the edge of the Black Forest. The 1,400 inhabitants of Seiffen live by work on wooden toys, their speci-

ality being animals in pens and the Noah's ark. One family makes the cows, another the horses or goats, and still another the lions and elephants, etc. Each family sells its products directly to toy agents who come periodically to buy the separate pieces.

The manufacture of wooden animals is quite simple, but does not want for ingenuity. The work starts with a specially prepared circle or wheel of white wood, which is turned and grooved to make the outline of a pony, horse or deer. The toymakers slice these wheels as a loaf of bread is sliced. The roughly outlined pieces then pass into other hands in the family and by stages are gradually brought to a finished state.—From illustrated articles in April Popular Mechanics.

FIRST TRAIN GOES TO SEA.

The dream that Henry M. Flager began dreaming ten years ago, of uniting Cuba to the United States by an all-rail route to span the 200 miles of narrow seas which separate them, has just passed the greatest stage in its transformation to reality. So writes M. B. Claussen in the Technical World Magazine for April. The first section of the remarkable "sea-going railroad" which Mr. Flager has been building for the past three years is now completed to the temporary terminal at Knight's Key, 109 miles south of Miami on the mainland and forty-seven miles from the ultimate end of the line at Key West. On the same day that the passenger trains of Mr. Flager's road—the Florida East Coast Railroad—began running through from Jacksonville to Knight's Key the Peninsular and Occidental Steamship Company put on a direct boat service from Knight's Key to Havana, 115 miles away.

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First-class Dressmaking and Ladies' Tailoring. Mrs. McLeland, 159 Ninth street.

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Be sure that your ticket reads via the O. R. & N. and connections. It costs no more than via other lines. Through tickets to and from all principal points in the United States, Canada and Europe. G. W. Roberts, Agent, O. R. & N. Dock, Astoria.

"Modern" Delights.

When a man passes under the hands of a barber he wants the best skilled treatment to be had in that line. In Astoria, the man in search of such manipulation, goes direct to Petersen's "Modern" shop, at 572 Commercial, and gets it in any of the six chairs maintained.

The Clean Man.

The man who delights in personal cleanliness, and enjoys his shave, shampoo, haircut, and bath, in Astoria, always goes to the Occident barber shop for these things—and gets them at their best.

For Good Wood

From the Tongue Point Lumber Company, 16-inch stove length. Call up Prael-Eigner Transfer Co., Phone 221.

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Try our own mixture of coffee—the J. P. B. Fresh fruit and vegetables. Baillot & Co., grocers. Phone Main 1281.



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Right Patterns

Right Quality

THE NOBBY CLOTHIER.

Just received a new line of umbrella covers. See C. H. Orkowitz, 137 Tenth street.

The very best board to be obtained in the city is at "The Occident Hotel." Rates very reasonable.

The Palace Restaurant.

The ever-increasing popularity of the Palace Restaurant is evidence of the good management, and the service, at this popular dining room. For a long time the reputation of the house has been of the best and it does not wane as time progresses. The system used, that of furnishing the finest the market affords, and all can be obtained, in season, is a plan that will always win, coupled as it is with the best of cooking and prompt service. A common saying nowadays is "Get the Palace habit."

Kodak Supplies.

A full line of films, papers, cameras, kodaks, etc., just received at Hart's Drug Store.

The Commercial.

One of the coziest and most popular resorts in the city is the Commercial. A new billiard room, a pleasant sitting room and handsome fixtures all go to

make an agreeable meeting place for gentlemen, there to discuss the topics of the day, play a game of billiards and enjoy the fine refreshments served there. The best of goods are only handled, and this fact being so well known, a large business is done at the Commercial, on Commercial street, near Eleventh.

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